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REQUEST FOR REVIEW
CC Docket No 02-6

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Federal Communications Commission

RE: APPEAL requesting review of USAC's Administrator's Decision on Appeal –
Funding Year 2012-2013

Entity: AMIKids Acadiana
BEN: 16049586
Form 471 App# 866041
FRN 2359864

This is a request for review of Administrator's Decision on Appeal dated 06/04/14 (attachment A) for the above school. I emailed an appeal to USAC on 05/21/2014 (attachment B), well within the 60-day deadline for appealing the denial for implementation deadline extension dated on 5/13/14 (letter was dated 5/13/13 but states my correspondence was dated 3/11/14 (attachment C)).

Below is the timeline of events that occurred requesting the extension:

- 9/12/13 – An extension was filed via form 500 (attachment D) to provide additional time to implement contracts or agreements with service providers for non-recurring services.
- 9/30/13 – We received a form 500 notification letter (attachment E) stating that our form 500 that was submitted was approved and the date was extended to 9/30/14. This was done in the time frame required to extend the date. (According to the USAC website, "recipients of non-recurring services that fall under the criteria, the applicant or service provider requested an extension because the service provider was unable to complete delivery and installation for reasons beyond the service provider's control, must file an FCC Form 500 on or before the last date to receive service (generally September 30 following the close of the funding year) to request an extension of the service delivery deadline.")
- 1/24/14 – The service provider, Grand Computers, completed the service of work (P2 Implementation) at AMIKids Acadiana.
- 4/1/14 – The service provider, Grand Computers, contacted USAC and was told that we, the school, needed to complete a form 500, which had already been done on 9/12/13.
- 4/1/14 – Per the request of USAC, another form 500 (attachment F) was sent again to update the date because the form 500 had been changed, although our



original form 500 had already been approved and the date had been extended to 9/30/14.

- 4/7/14 – Form 500 was received by USAC per the delivery return receipt (attachment G). USAC was contacted several times to find out the status of the extension and we were told they never received the Form 500.
- 5/5/14 – Form 500 was resent to USAC.
- 5/21/14 – We received the denial of our extension request dated 5/13 (attachment C).
- 5/21/14 – An appeal was sent to USAC (attachment B) asking for the denial to be overturned since our original form 500 to extend the date to 9/30/14 was sent on 9/12/13 and was approved on 9/30/13.
- 6/4/14 – Received an Administrator's Decision on Appeal (attachment A) denying our appeal to extend the date to 9/30/14.

We are asking you to reverse the USAC denial based on the fact that the attached form 500 dated 9/12/13 was approved on 9/30/13 and the date was extended to 9/30/14.

Thank you for your time and attention.



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